



Sandra Rexine McNearney

March 31, 1945 - May 1, 2014

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It is with great sadness that the family of Sandy McNearney announces her passing on May 1, 2014, after a courageous battle with Lou Gehrig's disease. She will be greatly missed by her loving husband Jim, and her four sons, Dane (Karen), Jimmy (Leah), Neil (Lisa), and Lance (Olivia); her grandchildren, Evelyn, Elizabeth, Connor, Katherine, Sarah, Samantha, and four great grandchildren, and her brother Danny Chase, as well as numerous aunts, uncles, nephews, cousins, and in-laws.

She was born on March 31, 1945 in Robbinsdale, MN. As a child, Sandy moved several times and lived with extended family. At an early age she lived with her grandmother in South Dakota. At age 10, she moved to Gilroy, CA to be with her mother Jeri and step-father, Tony. She graduated from Glendora High School in 1963 and attended Sacramento College of Dental-Medical Assistants where she became a dental assistant. She married her husband Jim on June 21, 1969 and lived in San Diego, CA before moving to Visalia, CA in 1972. After raising her family, she obtained her real estate license and worked with her husband at All Estates Realtors. Jim and Sandy were married for 45 years.

Sandy was first and foremost a loving wife and mother to her family. She was very creative and enjoyed gardening, crafts, painting, photography, going to the coast and an occasional casino, shopping for antiques and collectibles, but most of all being with her family and friends. She was blessed with

grandchildren that she loved to visit and spend time taking them to the park or just watching them play. She had a love for animals and helped rescue, foster, and adopt many of them (including her beloved black lab, Daisy). She was active in a variety of clubs and organizations including: Soroptimist International, Tulare County Association of Realtors, Women's Trade Club of Tulare County, and the Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, May 8, 2014 at the Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 E Caldwell Ave, Visalia, CA 93277 at 11 AM with a reception following. www.salseranddillard.com

Previous Events

Memorial

MAY 8. 11:00 AM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave
Visalia, CA 93277
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Tribute Wall

PL

“ Sandy was such a beautiful Lady. I'm sorry that I could not be there for her. Al and I had the highest regard for her. I'm sorry Jim and family - I know she will be a great loss for you - but you had the joy of her. In that way you are so fortunate. Love to you all - Pat and Al Lizotte

Pat Lizotte - May 11, 2014 at 02:58 PM

YF

“ Your Cornish & Carey Family purchased the Lavender Love Bouquet for the family of Sandra Rexine McNearney.



Your Cornish & Carey Family - May 07, 2014 at 02:56 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sandra Rexine McNearney.



May 07, 2014 at 01:46 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Sandra Rexine McNearney.



May 07, 2014 at 01:04 PM

DC

“ Dane Cardone purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Sandra Rexine McNearney.



Dane Cardone - May 07, 2014 at 12:11 PM

JA

“ My condolence to Jim and his family. Sandy was a sweetheart. She will be missed. Her sister in Beta Sigma Phi, Judy Ananian

Judy Ananian - May 07, 2014 at 11:28 AM

LF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Jim and the McNearney Family in this time of loss. God Bless you all. Lane and Susan Fye

Lane Fye - May 06, 2014 at 12:27 PM

HF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Jim, at this time. You and Sandy made our lives in Visalia so much better with your real estate expertise and your friendship. Walline and Harry Foster

Harry Foster - May 06, 2014 at 10:10 AM

CT

“ Jim,

Our thoughts are with you Jim. It doesn't even seem possible. Love you.

Cody and Joy

Cody and Joy Taylor - May 06, 2014 at 09:09 AM

TC

“ *Sandy was a wonderful person and friend. She had such good sense of humor she needed it to put up with all of us in Real Estate. I loved her and have such fond memories that i'll always remember. My love and heart are with you.*

*God Bless you and comfort you
Tedi Cocagne*

Tedi Cocagne - May 05, 2014 at 11:40 AM